Important Update for Cost-effective Source Disposal

As an update to our message from last summer, Illinois has been notified that the Conference Radiation Control Program Directors (CRCPD) Source Collection and Threat Reduction Program (SCATR) will be working with brokers and generators between April 15 and May 30 of this year to schedule a 50% cost-shared disused sealed source collection, processing, and disposal for certain sealed sources. To obtain further details on pricing, scheduling, and eligible sources, please register your disused sealed sources with OSRP as soon as possible, but no later than the extended deadline of May 30, 2013.

The collections are targeting Class A sealed sources for disposal at the Energy Solutions Clive, Utah commercial disposal facility but will also collect and dispose of Class B and C sources from the same generator locations on a 50% cost-share basis. The Class B and C sources will be disposed at the Waste Control Specialists commercial low-level waste disposal facility in Andrews County, Texas.

Only disused sealed sources registered with the Offsite-Source Recovery Project (OSRP) at http://osrp.lanl.gov/PickUpSources.aspx will be included in this collection effort. Please also verify the point of contact information for any sources you may already have registered. CRCPD is contracting with certified brokers to provide these services in Illinois. A representative from the certified broker will contact OSRP-registered generators in Illinois between April 15 and May 30 of this year to discuss participation in the initiative. The attached CRCPD information sheet contains additional details on the effort.

Please note that CRCPD cost-shared opportunities are subject to both funding and time constraints. We recommend that licensees with disused sealed sources register their sources as soon as practicable and carefully consider participation in the current initiative. If you have any questions regarding the effort, please don't hesitate to contact Russ Meyer at CRCPD at 512 - 761 - 3822 or rmeyer@crcpd.org.